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Call for abstracts closing in one month

Your opportunity to present at 17ACC is here!

The Call for Abstracts for 17ACCC 2017 is closing in one month on **23 March 2017**. If you haven't done so already, don't miss your opportunity to submit an abstract and be considered for a presentation at the Conference in July. Submissions are sought for oral and poster presentations and can be made via the Presenters' Portal below.

Abstracts are invited under the following subject areas – the submission portal will list the various themes in each area;

- Asian Chemical Editorial Society (ACES)/Wiley symposium
- FACS/American Chemical Society early career researcher workshops on publishing, communication, ethics, careers, and collaboration.
- Analytical and Environmental Chemistry
- Chemical engineering
- Chemical Education
- OPCW plenary and Chemical Ethics
- Chemical Information and Big Data
- Colloids and Nano Materials
- Electrochemistry
- FACS Distinguished Lectures

- Food Chemistry
- Green chemistry
- Health Safety and Environment
- History and Archives
- Industrial Chemistry/Chemical Engineering
- Inorganic Chemistry
- Materials Chemistry
- Medicinal and Natural Products Chemistry Microscale
- Organic Chemistry (including a Canadian symposium)
- Physical Chemistry
- Polymer Chemistry
- Radiochemistry
- Spectroscopy
- Supramolecular Chemistry
- FACS project Symposia

ACC 17 is the major partner in the Royal Australian Chemical Institute's centenary congress where 9 international meetings are running side by side over the week and a delegate for one is a delegate for all. As an ACC17 delegate you can also submit abstracts to any of the specialised partner conferences if they are a better fit to your area of expertise.



- **Submit and abstract for ACCC6** - Inorganic
- **Submit and abstract for AHeDD 2017**- Medicinal
- **Submit and abstract for AIMECS 2017** - medicinal
- **Submit and abstract for Chemeca 2017** - Industrial chemistry / Chemical engineering
- **Submit and abstract for GSC8** - Green Chemistry
- **Submit and abstract for Tetrahedron Asia 2017** - Organic Chemistry

Read through the instructions and abstract template provided on the website and submit your abstract today. Submissions will close on the **23 March 2017**.

[Submit your abstract today](#)

Our Speakers

Plenary Speakers

- Frances Arnold, Californian Institute of Technology, USA

- Professor Oliver Einsle, Institute of Biochemistry, Albert-Ludwigs-University Freiburg, Germany
- Professor Robert Grubbs, California Institute of Technology, USA, *Nobel Prize in Chemistry Recipient (2005)*
- Professor Andrew B. Holmes, AC, Australian Academy of Science, Australia
- Dr Laura Kiessling, University of Wisconsin, USA
- Dr Alexander Makarov, Thermo Fisher Scientific, Germany
- Professor Martyn Poliakoff, University of Nottingham, UK
- Professor Molly Stevens, Imperial College of London, UK
- Professor Nieng Yan, Tsinghua University, China
- Professor Ada E. Yonath, Helen and Milton A. Kimmelman Center for Biomolecular Structure and Assembly of the Weizmann Institute of Science, Israel, *Nobel Prize in Chemistry Recipient (2009)*

Key Dates – Mark your Diaries

17ACC/FACS

23-28 July 2017

Abstract submission

Now open

Registration

Now open

Abstract Submission closes

23 March 2017

Early bird registration deadline

23 April 2017



Register Today

A single Congress fee will allow delegates to attend any conference or session they wish. No one will be limited to a single conference stream. You should register through the conference site that you intend on spending the most time at so this helps us to know how to plan appropriately.

Delegates may register for the Congress in full as per the categories and rates outlined below.

Registration can be submitted by completing the online form. Registration must be completed by **23 April 2017** to incur the early bird rates. After this date the rates will increase as per the table below.

[Click here to register & for more information](#)

Registration Fees

All fees are quoted in Australian dollars and are inclusive of 10% Goods and Service Tax (GST).

Registration Type	Early Bird Before 23 April 2017	Standard Before 23 July 2017
Conference Registration		
5 Day Pass	\$975	\$1,250
4 Day Pass	\$900	\$1,165
3 Day Pass	\$825	\$1,080
2 Day Pass	\$700	\$800
1 Day Pass	\$350	\$450
Student Registration		
5 Day Pass	\$500	\$675
4 Day Pass	\$460	\$635
3 Day Pass	\$420	\$595
2 Day Pass	\$375	\$425
1 Day Pass	\$250	\$300

Entitlements

- Admission to all Congress sessions
- Admission to the industry exhibition
- Ticket to the Welcome Reception*
- Approved delegate materials (such as a Program Book)
- Morning tea and lunch daily

*Please indicate attendance via the registration form

Don't forget your Visa

All visitors to Australia must have a valid visa to travel to and enter Australia (other than New Zealand passport holders who will normally be granted a Special Category visa on arrival, provided they meet health and character requirements; and permanent residents of Norfolk Island who may be granted a Permanent Resident of Norfolk Island visa on arrival). The passport which you hold determines whether you are eligible to apply online, or need to lodge a paper based application.

[Click here for further information including eligibility](#)

All visitors should apply for a visa at least two months prior to their intended date of departure, and four months prior for people with character or health concerns. The Congress Secretariat holds no responsibility for visa applications.



Get the most out of your conference experience

Book your place at the 17ACC/ACCC6 Dinner!

Network and join friends and colleagues at the social events. Tickets are available through the [online registration form now](#).

Date: Wednesday 26 July 2017

Time: 7.00pm - 10.30pm

Venue: Melbourne Convention and Exhibition Centre

Tickets: AUD \$120.00 per person (Inc GST)

[Book your tickets here](#)

Sponsorship & Exhibition Opportunities

An exciting range of partner conference opportunities has been developed to ensure a successful outcome for all sponsors and stakeholders. The Sponsorship & Exhibition

Prospectus is now available on the [Congress website](#) and we are looking for partners from different industry sectors who wish to secure an exclusive opportunity. We are also happy to tailor packages not currently available in the prospectus.

In addition to this, a major element of the Congress will be the exhibition. The daily Congress program will be structured to give participants maximum opportunity to visit the exhibition.

Take advantage of the opportunity for your organisation to be represented as a key partner or exhibitor at the RACI Centenary Congress today.

To find out more about how you could become involved in the Congress, please contact:

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Venue - 6 Star Green Environment Rating Venue

Melbourne Convention and Exhibition Centre
1 Convention Centre Place, South Wharf 3006
www.mcec.com.au

The Melbourne Convention and Exhibition Centre, is superbly located on the banks of Melbourne's Yarra River, close to the heart of the CBD and just 30 minutes from Melbourne's International Airport. The new Convention Centre has received worldwide acclaim for achieving a 6 Star Green Star environmental rating by the Green Building Council of Australia, the first in the world for a convention centre.

The modern complex is surrounded on all sides by trams, trains, buses, taxi ranks and ample car parking and is within easy walking distance from a range of accommodation options as well as the heart of Melbourne city where delegates can truly enjoy Australia's culture, cuisine and events capital.

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23-27 July 2017 Melbourne Australia

Chemistry addressing sustainable development and other challenges of the 2020s



If you know of a colleague who will benefit from receiving Conference updates, please [forward this newsletter](#) to them.

If you do not wish to receive any further email information about the Conference, click [here](#) and let us know.